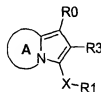


## SYNTHESIS OF INDOLIZINES

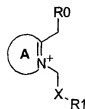
## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Disclosed are methods of preparing substituted indolizines represented by the following formula:

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comprising reacting a substrate represented by the following formula:



with either the cyclization reagent of the following formula:



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or, a reagent prepared by reacting the compound represented the formula below with an alkylating agent:



The variables in the above formulas are defined herein.

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